

Uranium Mine Questions

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Barbara, Stephen & Kevin:

It was nice meeting you guys last week! I pulled out just the questions to our 104(e)'s to the mining companies for that Navajo Uranium Site. They are pretty basic. We will need to do follow up, but based on these 9 letters, we got 27,000 pages. Using BIA records, we did some simple mine/company matching to develop the lists for each company. The 104(e) letter itself was the model letter.

The attachment at the end of this email is our agreed list of questions that we plan to ask the residents who had their homes rebuilt. These have not been released yet, so please keep them enforcement confidential. We are doing these interviews this summer.

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Questions Attached to 104(e)'s to mining companies

- 1. Please identify those individuals who assisted in the preparation of this information response. For each individual, provide the following: name, current or last known address and telephone number, dates of employment, and current and former job titles.
- 2. Identify all properties owned, leased, possessed or held by you to conduct operations for the production of uranium in the Navajo Nation. Provide a copy of the lease, permit, claim(s), deed, license or any other document evidencing your status as an owner, tenant or possessor of the property and all attachments.
- 3. Provide information about each property identified by you, including but not limited to the following:
 - a. Property boundaries, including a written legal description;
- b. A map identifying the property location within or in relation to the Navajo Nation;
 - c. Location and description of surface structures (e.g., protore, waste pile, retention

ponds, buildings, housing, etc.);

- d. Location and description of any ground water wells or sources of surface water used in mine operations;
 - e. All maps, drawings, aerial photographs of the property.
- 4. For each property identified by you, describe the activities or operations which were conducted by you on that property. Provide any and all documentation in your possession which describes the operations which occurred at that property.
- 5. For any property identified by you, describe what waste by-product(s) was produced during your operations.
- 6. For each waste by-product identified by you, describe what you did with these waste byproducts.
 - a. Specifically, also describe what you did with:
 - i) uranium protore or uneconomic material
 - ii) any listed or unlisted hazardous substances
 - iii) dewatering or surface water discharge
- b. Provide all documentation which describes how waste by-product was stored, treated, disposed or deposited at the property.
- c. For each waste by-product identified, provide a map identifying where on the property these wastes were stored, treated, disposed or deposited.
- 7. For each property, identify and describe all reclamation or cleanup efforts made by you to address waste by-products and/or to prevent potential releases of hazardous substances.
- 8. Specifically, identify and describe any and all operations you conducted at the mine sites listed below. For each of these mines, answer questions 2 7 above as it applies to the site.

(List of mines was developed based on file reviews at Bureau of Indian Affairs offices)

9. For each of the mine sites identified in the table above, identify any other person(s) or entity(ies) which operated at the mine. Provide the dates of their operations and describe their operations.

10. If you have any reason to believe that there may be persons able to provide a more detailed or complete response to any part of this information request or who may be able to provide additional responsive documents, please identify such persons, including their last known addresses and telephone number.

The structures questionnaire...



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